

Missouri State Library

Show Me *Express*

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Show Me Express features time-sensitive information about State Library programs and current news of interest to the Missouri library community.

FREE Literacy Resource Center summer workshop

LIFT-Missouri in conjunction with the Missouri State Library will be providing five regional workshops targeted to public library staff from late May to early August. Specific information on presentation content is available at <http://www.lift-missouri.org/workshops/2009-2010/community.html>. Participant registration is required, and 48-hour notice of attendance cancellation is requested as the number of attendees per site is limited. Each five-hour session is scheduled from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. with lunch and refreshments provided. [Go to LIFT-Missouri's workshop Web site](#) to register for your selected date or site. If you have questions or prefer to register by phone, contact Maggie Dyer at 314-678-4443, ext. 207.

WebJunction-MO catalog adds 4 new technology courses

The State Library is pleased to announce the following courses are now available to WebJunction-Missouri affiliates at a reduced rate:

- **Web 2.0 Fundamentals**
Web 2.0 technologies including RSS feeds, blogs, and wikis provide powerful ways to access site information and enable users to participate and collaborate in the creation of site content, rather than being passive users of a web site. This course provides an overview of what Web 2.0 is and the role that the Web 2.0 technologies play.
- **Windows 7: Getting Started**
This course introduces the main features of Windows 7 and provides an overview of the desktop, including the taskbar and the Start menu. It also demonstrates how to manage files and folders using Windows Explorer and how to use Windows Search to locate files and folders on your computer.
- **Setting up and Securing Windows 7**
This course demonstrates how to use the Control Panel to install and manage programs and printers, and it shows the role User Account Control plays in security. This course also demonstrates how to use Backup and Restore, system

protection, power plans, and the Action Center to ensure the computer is properly maintained.

- **Customizing Windows 7**

Windows 7 enables users to customize their Windows experience by modifying and adjusting many of the features. This course introduces customization in Windows 7 and provides detailed instructions that enable you to customize the desktop, Start menu and taskbar.

Accepted WebJunction-Missouri affiliates qualify for our discounted courses and can enroll now at [Missouri Course Catalog](#).

It's easy for library staff, trustees and volunteers to **become a WebJunction-Missouri affiliate**, which allows them to take full advantage of these library training resources.

1. Go to [WebJunction Missouri](#)
2. Create your individual user account and set up your profile, including the name of the library with which you are associated.
3. Check the 'Affiliations' tab in the profile box, and request to affiliate with Missouri.

Your affiliate status will be confirmed within a matter of days so you too can board the WebJunction-Missouri train-ing route at a discounted fare.

GED & Workplace skills are available adult education resources

Missouri's high school and academic libraries plus state-aid eligible public libraries can acquire Kentucky Educational Television video and workbook sets compliments of the State Library and the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. See <http://www.sos.mo.gov/library/ket/> for more information or [e-mail State Library Adult Services Consultant Ann Roberts](#)

NOTE: Both educational series are also available within the state via local cable access channel, public television station or cable company. Check local listings for broadcast times:

- **Kansas City area**
 - KC Public Television
(Note: their Web site <http://www.kcpt.org/education/adult.shtml> also provides streaming video)
 - Time Warner Cable of Kansas City, Channel 113
- **St. Louis area**
 - KETC of St. Louis

- Higher Education Television of St. Louis
 - LU-TV26, Lindenwood University, St. Charles
 - JCTV2, Hillsboro
- **Central MO:** JCTV, Jefferson City
- **Southwest MO**
 - Lebanon Community Access Channel 3
 - TV23, Springfield
- **Southeast MO:** Ste. Genevieve Community Access Television.

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